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I AM WRITING IN RESPONSE TO YOUR PROPOSAL OF " INDOOR AIR QUALITY".  
ONCE AGAIN THE GOVERNMENT WANTS TO TELL US WHATS BEST FOR ME AND THE  
PEOPLE THAT WORK FOR MY BUSINESS.

I HAVE 26 EMPLOYEES AND THEY HAVE READ YOUR PROPOSAL. SOME ARE SMOKERS AND  
SOME ARE NOT. THE RESPONSE WAS THE SAME FROM ALL EMPLOYEES.  
THEY LAUGHED !! AND THEN REMARKED "SURELY THEY (OSHA) ARE NOT SERIOUS.

WELL !!! THIS IS THE KIND OF RESPONSE MOST WORKING AMERICANS WOULD SAY  
ABOUT THIS KIND OF GOVERNMENT INTERVENTION.. THEY DON'T BELIEVE THIS COULD  
HAPPEN.. BUT I KNOW BETTER. I HAVE BEEN IN BUSINESS FOR QUITE SOME TIME,  
AND WHAT I HAVE SEEN THE GOVERNMENT DO HAS SHOCKED ME TIME AND TIME AGAIN.

THIS BRINGS ME TO MY POINT. I HAVE ALREADY ( LIKE MOST BUSINESS ) WORKED  
OUT A SMOKING POLICY WITH MY EMPLOYEES, AND IF ANY COMPLAINTS ARISE I  
HANDLE THEM.

AS IF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND OSHA DON'T HAVE ENOUGH TO DO, I BELIEVE  
THEY SHOULD FIGURE OUT A WAY TO KEEP BUSINESS AND JOBS IN AMERICA AND  
LET ME DO MY JOB AS A BUSINESS OWNER AND MANAGE MY BUSINESS WITH OUT  
MORE GOVERNMENT BUREAUCRACIES.

I AM ONE OF THE SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS AND WORKERS WHO ARE THE BACKBONE  
OF THE NATIONS ECONOMY. WE PROVIDE THE JOBS, PRODUCTS AND SERVICES AND  
I MIGHT ADD, PAY A LOT OF TAXES, TO MAKE THIS COUNTRY WHAT IT IS .

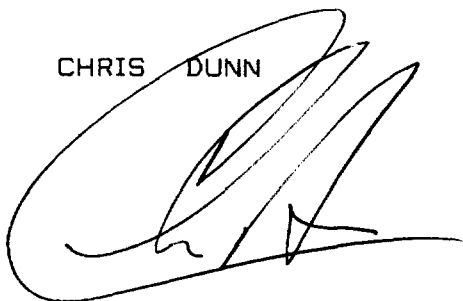
BUSINESS OWNERS, NOT GOVERNMENT SHOULD HAVE THE RIGHT TO ESTABLISH THEIR  
OWN SMOKING POLICIES. YOUR PROPOSED POLICY WOULD FORCE A BUSINESS LIKE  
MINE TO FOOT THE TAB FOR CARRYING OUT WASHINGTON AGENDA. FRANKLY !! I AM  
GETTING SICK OF IT. THIS COULD COST ME THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS, MAJOR  
RENOVATIONS, AND DIVERT RESOURCES OTHER WISE AVAILABLE FOR JOBS AND PAY  
ROLLS.

I KNOW LOTS OF BUSINESS OWNERS AND WORKERS THAT DO NOT HAVE THE TIME TO BE  
VOCAL ABOUT WHAT WASHINGTON THINKS WE SHOULD PAY FOR AND BE ACCOUNTABLE TO  
UNCLE SAM FOR.

HERE IS WHAT WE THINK... G E T O F F O U R B A C K S !!! PLEASE...

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